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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)														
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CALFEE WILLIAM R				CL	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CLIFFS NATURAL RESOURCES INC. [CLF]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner Other (specify below)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1100 SUPERIOR AVENUE, 15TH FLOOR					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2010								Exec. V.I	P. Comm. N.	Amer. Iron	
(Street)				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
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(City	)	(State)	(Zip)		Т	able l	- Non	-Deri	ivative S	ecurities	Acqu	ired, Disp	osed of, or I	Beneficially (	Owned	
(Instr. 3) Date		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea	Exe ar) any	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year		(Instr. 8)		(A) or Disposed o (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Beneficia	at of Securities Illy Owned Following Transaction(s) Ind 4)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
						Code	V	Amoun	(A) or (D)	Price		· ,		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 03/		03/08/2010				\(\frac{(1)}{}		3,280	A	\$ 0	55,267			D		
Common Stock							39		39,968			I	By VNQDC			
Reminder:	Report on a s	separate line fo	r each class of sec	- Deriv	vative Securi	ties A	cquire	Pers conta the f	ons wh ained ir orm dis	o respon this for plays a	m are curre eficial	e not requ ntly valid		ormation spond unle trol numbe	ss	1474 (9-02)
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/	Execution 1 (Year) any	d Date, if	4. Transaction 1 Code (Instr. 8)		5.		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. T Ame Und Secu	Fitle and ount of derlying urities tr. 3 and	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Owners Form of Derivat Security Direct ( or Indir	Ownersh (Instr. 4) D) ect
					Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exer		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Repor	ting O	wners														

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CALFEE WILLIAM R 1100 SUPERIOR AVENUE 15TH FLOOR CLEVELAND, OH 44114			Exec. V.P. Comm. N.Amer. Iron					

# **Signatures**

Traci L. Forrester by Power of Attorney	03/10/2010		
Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Reflects the number of restricted stock units granted to the Reporting Person on March 8, 2010 for the Performance Period January, 2010 to December,
- (2) Held for the benefit of the Reporting Person by the Cliffs Natural Resources Inc. 2005 Voluntary Non-Qualified Deferred Compensation Plan (VNQDC).

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